Accreditation: Education Sheet

November 2019: Evidence Based Best Practices

What is Evidence **Based Practice** (EBP)?

Using current scientific research to promote the best possible decision making.

All front line staff providing patient care needs to use EBP.



Why is EBP important to all of

- ✓ Promote patient safety culture
- ✓ Reduce adverse health outcomes
- ✓ Professional expertise in making patient decisions
- Professional responsibility

What online databases do we have access for EBP?

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